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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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H. F. No. 248

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation Policy and Finance

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the Foley Boulevard
1.3 Northstar commuter rail station; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

1.4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.5 Section 1. **FOLEY BOULEVARD NORTHSTAR COMMUTER RAIL STATION.**

1.6 Subdivision 1. **Appropriation.** \$1,000,000 is appropriated from the bond proceeds
1.7 fund to the Metropolitan Council for a grant to the Anoka County Regional Rail Authority
1.8 for environmental analysis, design, engineering, negotiations with the Burlington
1.9 Northern Santa Fe Railway, acquisition of real property or interests in real property, and
1.10 construction of related infrastructure and other improvements of a capital nature for the
1.11 Foley Boulevard Northstar commuter rail station.

1.12 Subd. 2. **Bond sale.** To provide the money appropriated in this section from the
1.13 bond proceeds fund, the commissioner of management and budget shall sell and issue
1.14 bonds of the state in an amount up to \$1,000,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with
1.15 the effect prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the
1.16 Minnesota Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.

1.17 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment.